

Sammamish Park-and-Ride Storm Water Runoff System



The unique raingarden incorporated in to the site collects water runoff from paved surfaces. The raingarden is a combination of different soil and plant types which absorb and help clean runoff water as shown in the illustrations.

After heavy downpours, some rainwater may overflow to grassy ditches, or bioswales, on the site before it flows into a detention pond. The grasses of the bioswale help clean the water before it flows into the detention pond, where remaining silt will settle before cleansed water leaves the park-and-ride lot